## FORM 4

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Instruction 1(b)

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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Name and Addre     | 1 0     | erson*             | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC</u> [ MTX ] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable) |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       |         |                    |  | X Director 10% Owner   |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Last)<br>MINERALS TI |         | (Middle)<br>S INC. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>07/28/2004                                 | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)                           |  |  |  |  |  |
| 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE  |         |                    | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                       | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)                |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)              |         |                    |  | X Form filed by One Reporting Person                                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| NEW YORK              | NY      | 10174              |  | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| (City)                | (State) | (Zip)              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, |      | iction<br>Instr. | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |  |
|---------------------------------|--|-----------------|------|------------------|--|---------------|-------|---|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |  |                 | Code | v                | Amount   | (A) or<br>(D) | Price | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  |   | (Instr. 4)  |  |  |

#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   |        |     | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | ate                | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3 and<br>4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)    | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| PHANTOM<br>STOCK<br>UNITS                           | \$0 <sup>(1)</sup>  | 07/28/2004                                 | 07/28/2004  | Α                            |   | 36.397 |     | (2)  | (2)                | COMMON<br>STOCK   | 36.397                                 | \$54.95   | 9,594.025 <sup>(3)</sup>   | D  |  |

### Explanation of Responses:

1. EACH PHANTOM STOCK UNIT, WHEN REDEEMED, WILL HAVE THE VALUE OF ONE SHARE OF THE COMPANY'S COMMON STOCK ON THE FIRST BUSINESS DAY OF THE MONTH IN WHICH PAYMENT IS MADE.

2. THE PHANTOM STOCK UNITS REPRESENT DIVIDENDS ACCRUED UNDER THE MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. NON-FUNDED DEFERRED COMPENSATION AND UNIT AWARD PLAN FOR NON-EMPLOYEE DIRECTOR'S AND ARE TO BE SETTLED IN CASH UPON THE REPORTING PERSON'S RETIREMENT.

3. THE REPORTING PERSON ALSO DIRECTLY OWNS EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTIONS (I) TO PURCHASE 143 SHARES OF MTX COMMON STOCK AT \$39.53 PER SHARE WHICH BECAME EXERCISABLE IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON JANUÀRY 28, 2000 AND EXPIRING ON JANUARY 28, 2009 AND (II) TO PURCHASE 155 SHARES OF MTX COMMON STOCK AT \$46.625 PER SHARE WHICH BECAME EXERCISABLE IN THREE EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON JANUARY 24, 2003 AND EXPIRING ON JANUARY 24, 2012.

#### Remarks:

VICTORIA LUKAUSKAS

07/29/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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